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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

June 28, 2005

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10700320 in the amount of \$657.00 has been denied .

Small entity status fee not refundable. The time has expired for the refund of this fee. A refund based on establishment of small entity status may only be obtained if a verified statement under 37 CFR 1.27 and a request for the refund of excess amount are filed within three months of timely payment of the full fee (37 CFR 1.28).

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/700,320

Inventor: Sobhi Basheer et al

Filed: November 3, 2003

Confirmation No.: 5102

Group Art Unit: 1621

Examiner: Deborah D. Carr

Attorney Docket No:

7640-X03-012

For: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PHOSPHOLIPIDS

**REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.26**

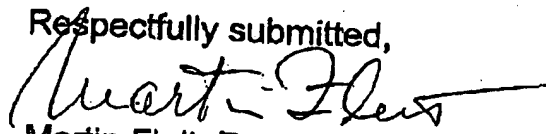
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On May 17, 2004, the Filing Fee of 770, Late Declaration Fee of \$130 and fee for 23 additional claims of \$414 were paid to the USPTO. Applicant is now asserting Small Entity Status and is requesting a refund in the amount of \$657.00.

Please credit the overpayment of the fees to the Deposit Account of the undersigned, Account No.: 500601 (Docket No: 500601).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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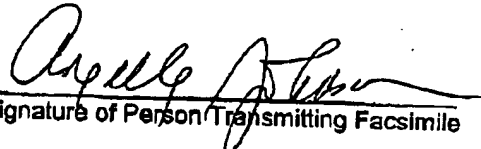
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1. WRITTEN ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY; and
2. REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.26

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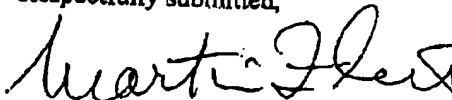
**WRITTEN ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For the purpose of paying the Issue Fee for the above application, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.27 and 1.33(b), the undersigned registered attorney of record appointed to the above-referenced matter, based on information and belief hereby gives this written assertion of entitlement to small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,



Date: April 27, 2005

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